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FM AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2047

INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY MADRID

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

AMEMBASSY VIENNA

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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRUSSELS 7210

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIN, IMF, ABRD

SUBJECT: EXPANSION OF IMF AND EBRD EXECUTIVE BOARDS

REF: STATE 206226

1. JUST AFTER WE MADE THE REPRESENTATIONS REQUESTED IN REFTTEL, A WLL INFORMED AND HIGH RANKING SOURCE IN THE BELGIAN FINANCE MINISTRY TOLD US THAT THE TURKISH GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED NOT TO JOIN THE PROPOSED SOUTH AFRICAN/SPANISH CONSTITUENCY AT THE IFM/IBRD. TURKEY WILL REMAIN IN THE BELGIAN/AUSTRIAN CONSTITUENCY.

2. IN COMMENTING ON THE TURKISH MOVE, THE BELGIANS NOTED THAT WHEY WERE MUCH RELIEVED BY THIS NEWS SINCE THEY TOO ARE  
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OPPOSED TO EXPANDING THE IMF/EBRD BOARDS TO 21 OR 22 SEATS.

3. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH THE BELGIANS AND THE AUSTRIANS  
THEMSELVES MAKE UP A VIABLE CONSTITUENCY, THEY PREFER  
TO KEEP THE TURKS WITH THEM AS A BRIDGE INTO THE LESS  
DEVELOPED WORLD. FIRESTONE

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